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### REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Applicant : Akira SHIMIZU, et al.  
 App. No : 10/618,900  
 Filed : July 14, 2003  
 For : SINGLE-WAFER-PROCESSING TYPE  
 CVD apparatus  
 Examiner : Rudy Zervigon  
 Art Unit : 1763

#### CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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March 30, 2006

(Date)

Katsuhiro Arai, Reg. No. 43,315

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 Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being made as follows:

1. Submission Required under 37 CFR 1.114:

Enclosed:  
 Amendment in six (6) pages.  
 Return Postcard.

2. Fees:

FEE CALCULATION				
FEE TYPE		FEE CODE	CALCULATION	TOTAL
RCE Fee		1801 (\$790)		\$790
Total Claims	14 - 20 = 0	1202 (\$50)	0 x 50 =	\$0
Independent Claims	1 - 3 = 0	1201 (\$200)	0 x 200 =	\$0
2 Month Extension		1252 (\$450)		\$450
			<b>TOTAL FEE DUE</b>	<b>\$1,240</b>

An extension of time is hereby requested by payment of the appropriate fee indicated above.

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3. Payment:

Check in the amount of \$1,240.00 to cover the above fees.

Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,  
KNOBBE MARTENS OLSON & BEAR LLP

Dated: March 30, 2006

  
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